

THE EVENING NEWS

DEVOTED TO MAKING ADA A LARGER AND MORE PROGRESSIVE CITY

VOLUME 8

ADA, OKLAHOMA, FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 1912

NUMBER 293

Hanan & Sons
W. L. Douglas
Burt & Packard
SHOES

John B. Stetson
and Knox
HATS

I. HARRIS

Home of
Hart Scaffner & Marx
Fine Tailored Clothing

Ada, Oklahoma

We are now
located in the
store room
formerly occupied
by Farmers
State Bank
107 W. Main-st

Dear Sir:

Next time you are on the street come in and see how my new building is arranged for the accommodation of customers. With more room I've been able to increase my stock, but I've only added more of the higher grades of merchandise.

You will find in the different departments such goods as Hart Scaffner & Marx clothes, Widow Jones Boys clothing, Manhattan and Wilson Brothers shirts, Knox hats, Douglas and Burt & Packard shoes.

You ought to have a look at these lines. They are the best of their kind, and I offer them to you at prices that are right. Furthermore, every article I sell is guaranteed. If you are not satisfied you can exchange or get your money back. That's how I believe in a square deal, and the way I practice is right here in my store.

Even though you are not in need of clothes right now, it will be worth your while to know that I am ready to serve you in the best way possible when the time comes, so drop in the first time you get a chance and see things for yourself. We don't want you to buy unless you're satisfied, so simply calling will not oblige you in the least.

Very Respectfully,

I. Harris

THE LARGEST CLOTHING STORE IN
SOUTH CENTRAL OKLAHOMA

Dress Making.

Mrs. E. M. Spawr, formerly with the Ladies Specialty Store, will do dress making and alteration work for the public. Work fully guaranteed. A share of your patronage solicited. Located at THE GRAND LEADER. 291-d-1f

Pasteurized Milk and Cream is the Kind I Have For Sale. Phone Your Orders. Office Phone 132, Res. 193.—McGuyre's Jersey Dairy. 283d-f

A WORD TO SMOKERS



We are striving to give our customers good cigars for their money. Of course, there are as many different tastes as there are people. As a consequence, we are forced to carry many different brands. Now we have chosen for the smoker who likes Domestic Cigars—"G. M. C. Special" and "Black and White." We have chosen for the Havana smoker, "Norma Martinez," and it is an excellent piece of goods, just as good as the average 10c cigar. And last of all we have chosen "Gwin & Mays Reputation" for the blended goods. Gentlemen this is the line of cigars for you to try out. Let us hear from you. Buy a quarter's worth of either and if you are not satisfied we refund the money.

GWIN & MAYS DRUG CO.

The Rexall Store

"OUR FOUNDATION IS STYLE ALL THE WHILE"

ROOSEVELT MEN IN CONTROL

AFTER STORMY SESSION CAPTURE REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION—PLENTY OF FIREWORKS.

Guthrie, Ok., March 15.—After a tumultuous half hour Roosevelt supporters gained control of the preliminary session of the republican state convention Thursday afternoon and temporary organization was affected with B. M. Parmenter of Lawton as temporary chairman. He received 385 to 184 votes cast for Frank Greer, the nominee of the Taft forces. J. E. Dyche of Oklahoma City was named as secretary.

The opening session of the convention was rather stormy, and at one time a split and contesting delegations to the national convention were threatened, but peace was finally restored with the Roosevelt faction in full control of the convention.

Trouble arose over the action of the state committee in seating Taft delegations from twelve counties where contests had been filed. This made a difference of 87 votes, but even with this advantage the Taft faction was badly in the minority as shown by the vote for temporary chairman. The convention will probably conclude its labors today, when the first delegation in the United States instructed for Roosevelt will be elected.

In yesterday's opening session hostilities started even before the announcement of the temporary organization. Chancellor Bradford, of the Methodist University of Oklahoma, had trouble getting through with his address of welcome. When he said "The recall is dangerous dynamite and let us be careful how we handle it," an uproar began, the Roosevelt forces putting on a demonstration. When he mentioned the names of several prominent republicans and failed to mention that of Colonel Roosevelt, was another season of pandemonium and there were cries of "Shut up!" and "Sit down!" from the crowd. The chancellor finished his address with difficulty.

It was after 3 o'clock when the convention got down to work.

George C. Priestly, of Bartlesville, was endorsed for National committee-man.

The democratic state administration is condemned, particularly regarding the matter of taxes and pledged the republican party, if given control to promotion of the public welfare and to a revision of the taxing laws.

The following expression in the resolution was as near as the committee came to the initiative and referendum and recall.

NOTICE OF SALE.

On Monday, March 18, 1912, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. I will sell to the highest bidder for cash the stock and fixtures formerly owned by J. P. McKinley. Sale at store building East Main street. 2td JOHN W. BEARD.

RHODE ISLAND REDS

1st Pen \$1.50 per 15 eggs; 2nd Pen 75c per 15 eggs; Pearl White Plymouth Rocks, \$2.00 per 15 eggs. Indian Runner Ducks, \$2.50 for 12 eggs. All registered stock, prize winners. Clara J. Holcomb, Ada, Okla. P. O. Box 783. 630 Beard St. Phone 4-443. 293-2td*

Attention is called to the card of Dr. J. A. Lowell, veterinary surgeon, which appears in this issue of the News.

BASKET BALL!

SATURDAY, MAR. 16
8:30 p. m. CITY HALL
EDMOND NORMAL
vs.
THE E. C. S. N.
Admission 35 Cents
This game decides the STATE CHAMPIONSHIP. SEE IT!

REPUBLICANS HOLD BIG WAR DANCE

DISTRICT CONVENTION AT TULSA COULD NOT BE TERMED HARMONIOUS—A SPLIT OCCURS.

Tulsa, Ok., March 15.—The Third District Republican convention held here yesterday resembled an Apache war dance more than a modern political convention. The Taft and Roosevelt factions fought each other to the bitter end, and the result was the holding of two conventions and the naming of contesting delegations to the Chicago convention. All kinds of charges and counter charges, ranging from bootlegging to high treason, were hurled back and forth and the Roosevelt men jeered the Taft crowd as pie counter patriots and bolters.

A riot in the Taft convention occurred when a photographer attempted to take a picture of the bunch. The camera was smashed, the photographer kicked out, and W. W. Neal a newspaper correspondent, was also roughly handled, being soundly beaten and kicked.

The contest will be carried to the national convention and the delegation seated will depend largely on which faction controls the national committee.

A WORD ABOUT REPORT CARDS

Some patrons carelessly and unthoughtfully pass by some of the little things as they term it, that amounts to much in the progress of the schools. The examination of the report cards of the pupils is one of these little things, i. e. considered do by many of the patrons. They look upon it as of little importance. This is a sad mistake.

These cards are an index of daily work and deportment, and parents can draw a very safe conclusion by the examination of these cards, just what kind of work their boy or girl is doing. If he is doing good work and deporting himself well, the card will show it; if poor work the card will show it. Then, if your child is doing poor work and his deportment bad, you should co-operate with the teacher to better his condition.

Poor work, bad conduct causes pupils to be punished; and the nature and degree of the offense suggest the kind and extent of punishment.

Then in the examining of your boy's or girl's card, you find his or her grades low in studies and deportment, you may expect that they will receive some kind of punishment at the hands of the teacher, if conditions are not changed.

Now, this punishment can be greatly eliminated, if parents would notice the reports, that the teachers send to them of their children; and talk with their children about their work and conduct. It would not only eliminate a great deal of the punishment, but would cause a better feeling to exist among all concerned as they would have a better understanding of the character of the work done. Then a better grade of work would, inevitably, result.

A. FLOYD.

FIRE BOYS ORGANIZE ATHLETIC CLUB

The volunteer firemen are taking renewed interest in the organization, and among other features to maintain this interest have organized an athletic club with Kid Anderson, one of the best known athletes in the state, as director and manager. Various kinds of athletic sports and contests will be pulled off from time to time and whenever a public exhibition is given the boys hope for a liberal patronage from the public. Further announcement will be made later.

Oakwood's fresh country butter. Made by Johnson Bros. Modern Cash Grocery. 267-1f

Again you Have a Chance FRIDAY and SATURDAY

WE CAN SELL YOU ANY piece of granite ware shown in our window for 10c
SOLD IN THE REGULAR WAY at 15c to 25c
\$2.50 WHITE CANVAS HIGH Shoes for women \$1.89
GROWING GIRLS' WHITE Canvas High Shoes \$1.65
MISSSES' WHITE CANVAS High Shoes \$1.45
MEN'S TRADE MARK SHOES—a regular city bargain. \$2.50
MEN'S WORK SHOES—Special \$1.50

SPRING NECKWEAR FOR Women and Men—Special. 25c
LONG SILK GLOVES FOR Women. Every woman should be interested in this special Glove item—
Full 16-Button length, reaching considerably above the elbow—a regular \$1.50 Glove, for 98c
STAMPED PILLOW TOPS FOR Embroidery. 35c, 25c, 15c, 10c
OUR SPECIAL LINE OF Spring White Goods will surely interest you, from 5c to 18 1-2c a yard.

Glassware, Queensware, Tinware, Graniteware at special prices, too

WE RESPECTFULLY SOLICIT YOUR BUSINESS

Shaw's Nickel Store

THE COMING CASH DEPARTMENT STORE
S. M. SHAW, Prop.



"Where did you get those fine Cigars?"

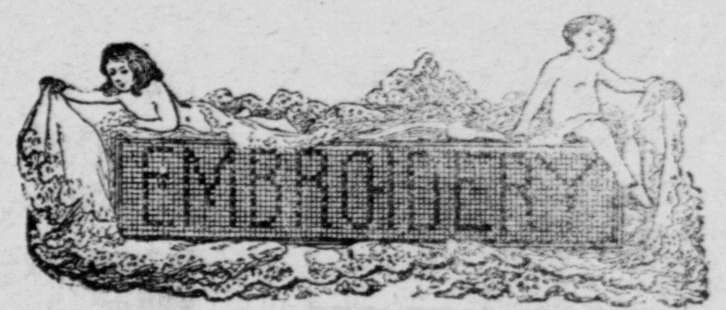
"Why, RAMSEY'S. He has lots of good things. Just

Phone No. 6

They have delivery."

SHAWNEE HAS POPULATION OF MORE THAN 14,000
A census of the city of Shawnee taken by the assistant postmaster and the letter carriers shows a pop-

ulation of 14,140 for the town. This is an increase of about 10 per cent over the figures of 1910.



SALE

A Veritable Feast for the Eyes

A Lot of Beautiful Batiste Embroideries

That is so much in vogue at present in all the fashionable centers of Europe and America.

This lot contains Edgings and Flouncings up to 27 inches, with Galoons, Bands and Allovers to match.

There are some very dainty Baby Irish Edges, 4 to 5 inches wide, with narrow Bands to match, suitable for INFANTS' or CHILDREN'S FINE DRESSES; also used for JABOTS, side FRILLS and the FICHER EFFECT in the latest style gown.

See the BEAUTIFUL COMBINATIONS of BABY IRISH on a Filet ground as well as the Baby Irish and Cluny effect.

Also heavy Japanese Embroidery with Baby Irish effect. These are the newest and most up-to-date combinations and effects in High Class Embroideries.

We feel confident in saying this is the largest assortment of High Class Embroideries of the latest fashions ever gathered in Ada. A visit will convince you that our line of novelties is both pleasing and dainty. The best at POPULAR PRICES.

THE SURPRISE STORE

The People Who Put The Price Down
— ADA, OKLA. —

THE EVENING NEWS

By The News Publishing and Printing Company
Office: Weaver-Masonic Block
Evening Edition, Except Sunday... Weekly Publication, Thursday
OTIS B. WEAVER
BYRON NORRELL
A. B. YEAGER
President
Vice-President and Editor
Sec. Treas. and Business Manager
A Designated State Printery. Official Paper Pontotoc County and the City of Ada. It is legal when in the News.

Terms of Subscription:
By Carrier per week 10c
By Carrier per month 40c
By Mail per month 40c
IF PAID IN ADVANCE
Three Months \$1.00
Six Months \$2.00
One Year \$4.00
ADA WEEKLY NEWS
For the Year \$1.00
Six Months 50c
Three Months 25c

Entered at the Post Office at Ada as Second Class Matter.
TELEPHONE NO. 4
Address All Letters to the News Publishing and Printing Company

Any erroneous reflection on the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of The News will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the management.
Obituaries and Resolutions of Respect of less than 100 words will be published free. For all matter in excess of 100 words a charge of one cent per word will be made. Count your words and remit with manuscript.



Gardners who plant their potatoes in or by the moon say that the proper time has arrived for planting as the moon is in the right position just now to exert the proper influence.

To date eleven or twelve candidates have announced for congress-man-at-large. As only three are to be

elected, the passengers up Salt River will be numerous.
The backward season has at least had the effect of sparing us from the usual batch of spring jokes about Easter millinery and the troubles of married men in settling bills for same.

JNO. D. RINARD, Pres. LEE DAGGS, V. Pres. C. T. ANGEL, Sec. Tr.
Lee Daggs
Gale Statler
W. P. Chism, (Francis)
C. T. Angel
Directors
Pontotoc County Abstract Comp'y
(INCORPORATED)

Money to Loan on Productive Real Estate.
YOU GET ALL YOU BORROW
Good rates, easy terms, no delay after title is approved. Abstracts of title made to all lands and city property in Pontotoc County.
We will give you the best service-- prompt and accurate
Phone 133--Office: REAR OF FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News is authorized to announce the following gentlemen as candidates for the offices named, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in August.

For Register of Deeds:
D. W. SWAFFAR
G. KITCHENS
WILMER B. JONES

For County Clerk:
J. W. WESTBROOK
A. L. MILES

For Sheriff,
L. E. MITCHELL (Re-election.)

For Clerk of District Court:
FRANK HUDDLESTON
A. D. TANNER

For County Assessor:
NICK HEARD

For County Superintendent:
T. W. ROBISON
W. T. MELTON
T. F. PIERCE (Re-election.)

For County Treasurer,
RIT ERWIN (Re-Election.)

For County Weigher:
JOHN WARD
SHERWOOD HILL

For Justice of the Peace, Ada, Precinct:
H. J. BROWN
T. O. CULLINS

For Co. Commissioner, Dist. No. 1:
HENRY KROTH
M. L. HUNT

For Co. Commissioner, Dist. No. 2:
GEO. W. MONTGOMERY
(Re-Election)

About three days have passed since any new business firm has announced its intention of opening in Ada. Something must be wrong.

Trousdale, the express messenger who killed the two train robbers in Texas, has been given a reward of \$3,000 and a gold watch as recognition of his service.

For many years the volunteer fire companies of Oklahoma have held an annual meet at which spirited con-

tests have been given. Naturally this spirit of rivalry causes the boys to get busy and do some effective practice work and does much to keep up the interest in the local companies. The News would like to see a team from Ada go to the next meeting and take a part. We have a splendid company of faithful boys who should be encouraged every way possible. Chief Parks is anxious to secure the meeting of 1913 for Ada, where the splendid water supply would afford the contesting teams ample opportunity to give a fine exhibition of their ability to cope with a situation on short notice. Encourage the fire boys.

Press dispatches state that Miss Helen Gould is en route to San Francisco to see what is necessary to bolster up the credit of her brothers, who have been paying more attention to having a good time than they have to business. It is also said that she will advance from her own fortune the funds necessary to put the boys on their feet again. Jay Gould sacrificed many years of his life in order to pile up the millions that he left to his children, but it would seem that only Miss Helen has had the ability to hold her own. With the others it is the old story of come easy, go easy, and while her brothers have been chasing about in their yachts, figuring in divorce cases, etc., other men have been sapping their strength until the name of Gould has lost much of its former conjuring power. Only Miss Helen has held her head, and proved a sort of balance wheel to the family. Never marrying, she has been the comforter not only to her own relations, but to thousands of friendless. Her life has been a constant benediction, and now as ever she is uncomplainingly bearing a part of the burdens of others.

The orchard should be pruned carefully. All dead and decaying branches of trees should be removed close to the body of the tree. The branches removed should never be left in the orchard, as they are apt to spread diseases and insects. The best plan is to burn them.

The heads of peach trees should be opened, that is small branches that lap over and shut out the sun from the tops of the trees should be removed. Drooping branches should be cut off and the tree balanced. Where branches rub or interfere with each other the weaker one should be cut off. Always cut off branches close to the body of the



BEWARE OF SUDDEN ATTACKS THAT MAY PROVE DEADLY.
YOU CAN SOON REPEL THE MOST DANGEROUS WITH
DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY
THE MOST INFALLIBLE CURE FOR
COUGHS AND COLDS WHOOPING COUGH
AND ONLY RELIABLE REMEDY FOR
THROAT AND LUNGS
PRICE 50c AND \$1.00
SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY

Ramsey Drug Co.

tree and paint the wound over with white lead or white wash to disinfect the cut and keep out moisture and disease spores.

Apples, as a rule, do not require heavy pruning, but the heads should be kept open, the dead branches removed, the trees balanced. Pears need some pruning, but heavy cutting is to be avoided. All appearance of blight should be cut out, the pruning implement and the wound disinfected thoroughly. Cherries need little or no pruning after they have been transplanted and the heads properly started.—Farm and Ranch.

The Aikenites thought the Phillips bill only a bluff and would never be filed, but now they probably have another guess coming. That measure is before the people for consideration, and the Aiken bunch will have to devote a part of their energies in defending themselves instead of being able to concentrate everything in an attack on the fourteen schools sought to be wiped out. This game of initiating bills is a game that two can play at.

Remember Milstead has the best trees and plants, and will not be undersold
291-31-d*

NEW GOODS FOR 1912

You can begin to do your Spring shopping now. We are prepared to show you splendid new goods in every line, and we shall welcome your inspection of them. We are sparing no effort to make this store a pleasant place to shop--and our large buying enables us to sell at prices that will make it profitable for you to come here. Our goods are not yet all here, but enough have arrived in each line to warrant us in stating that you can shop here with : : : : :
MUCH PROFIT AND GREAT PLEASURE TO YOURSELF

Special-- Women's Silk Hose
We have on sale a lot of fine silk hose of extra good quality silk. They are in all colors and a great bargain. Come and see them--they go at
50c

Dress Goods--Newest Spring Arrivals
MESSALINES
Alice blue, navy, brown, red, pink, tan, lavender, changeable red and changeable green worth \$1 per yd, special at **75c**
NEW FOULARDS
Lavendar with white polka dots fancy lavendar, Alice blue fancy green fancy, navy with white fancy, special value at 11c per yard **17c**
Linen Suitings
New, crisp linen suitings, just received; splendid weaves and many weights; prices range per yard from 15c to **25c**
BLACK TAFFETA
Extra good quality black taffeta; 36 inches wide; guaranteed to wear well; good wt., special value at a yd. **95c**
HOME SPUN DRESS LINEN
36-inches wide, in solid blues, blue fancy and lavender stripes, unusually good grade; your choice at the special price of, per yd. **14c**

Special Values for the Week End
35c TURKISH TOWELS 23c
Bleached Turkish towels of good weight and sizes; regular 35c size and quality, special for **23c**
15c GINGHAMS 9c
Red Seal Gingham, very good grade in many colors, regular 15c value; special for Saturday **9c**
10c TO 20c EMBROIDERY 5c
Special lot of Nainsook and Swiss embroidery, edging and inserting to match, worth from 10c to 20c per yard, special for Saturday, at **5c**
MEN'S \$1.00 SHIRTS 43c
Negligee coat shirts for men--plain and pleated bosom--May patterns; \$1 value, special for **43c**
65c UNDERWEAR 45c
Men's Porus Knit shirts and drawers, assorted colors, worth 65c a garment, special for Saturday at **45c**
LONSDALE CAMBRIC 11c
Best quality Lonsdale Cambric, full 36-inch wide--extra good value, Saturday at **11c**

NOBBY SPRING SUITS FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN
Spring suits for men and young men in the new shades of tan, brown, gray and blue. Made of all-wool cassimeres, Scotch tweeds and worsteds--also blue serges--lined with good mohair and serge. Real nobby styles, hand tailored, good looking, well fitting garments that will appeal to discriminating men. If you want a big value come here and get one of these suits for **\$15**
MEN'S SUIT SPECIAL \$5.95
These suits at \$5.95 should not be judged by the price. The price is very low indeed but the quality and style of the clothes are much better than this low price would indicate. We advise you to come and see them. You'll be surprised at the values they include. Good cassimeres, chevots and tweeds--well made up into men's and young men's smart clothes; priced at **\$5.95**

Some Lines We Carry
Kuppenheimer Clothing for Men
Irving System Union Made Clothing for Men
Lion Brand Shirts and Collars
Walkover Shoes for Men
Dorothy Dodd Shoes for Women
Educator Children's Shoes
American Lady Corsets
S. & H. Dresses for Children
Palmer Suits and Coats for Women

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' FASHIONABLE WEARING APPAREL
Our Women's ready-to-wear department is a feature of this store that should attract all the fashionable women of Pontotoc county. It is replete with the most charming creations in all lines of wearing apparel. Beautiful dresses, smartly tailored suits, exquisite waists and strikingly pretty coats--representing all the best styles shown in the big eastern stores. The styles this spring are remarkably handsome and our showing of them will surely win the admiration of the best-dressed women. The splendid Palmer suits at \$25 made of the French serges, worsteds and homespuns are really wonderful values. We earnestly urge you to see them.

NEW SPRING SKIRTS
We have an elegant line of spring skirts in all the new shades and cloths--priced \$1.95 to \$15.00. As an example of the good values throughout the entire line you should see the beautiful Panama skirts we are selling at the small price of **\$1.95 to \$15**

Union Made Men's Clothing
Many men have a preference for Union Made Clothing. It is our policy to have just the merchandise for each customer that he wants. You will find here a line of the Irving System of Union Made Suits at popular prices.

Cubin-Barack Co.
Better Goods For Less Money

The House of Kuppenheimer Clothing
Foremost designers in America--You'll find colors and mixtures that have never appeared in men's clothes before--You'll find exclusive English and American models--You'll find these justly celebrated suits priced from \$18 to \$27.50.

A NEW CREATION WEBSTER'S NEW INTERNATIONAL DICTIONARY

THE MERRIAM WEBSTER
The Only New unabridged dic-
tionary in many years.
Contains the *path* and *essence*
of an authoritative library.
Covers every field of knowl-
edge. An Encyclopedia in a
single book.

The Only Dictionary with the
New Divided Page.
420,000 Words. 2700 Pages.
6000 Illustrations. Cost nearly
half a million dollars.
Let us tell you about this most
remarkable single volume.

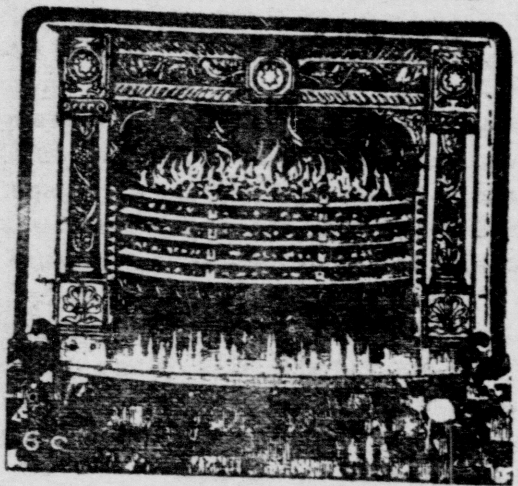
Write for sample
pages, full par-
ticulars, etc.
Name this
paper and
we will
send free
a set of
Pocket
Maps

G. & C. Merriam Co.
Springfield, Mass.

Southern Educational Institutions

Millionaires have lavished untold
wealth upon northern universities,
and as a result the richest of them to-
day have greater endowments than
the total endowments of every school
south of Mason and Dixon's line.
However, this condition is being rapidly
changed, and as the wealth of the
South increases, it is gratifying
to note that the endowment of its
schools is likewise showing a rapid
increase.

Ten years ago the total endow-
ment funds of southern schools was
only \$16,000,000. Only three univer-
sities—Texas, Tulane and Vanderbilt
—had endowment funds of a million
or more. Now, however, the list is
lengthened very materially. As a re-
sult of vigorous campaign, a number
of other schools now come within
this limit. Rice University, of Hous-
ton, Texas, will open its doors next
fall with an endowment fund of about



Heat is what you want when you
buy Coal—not ashes and clink-
ers. The Coal you buy from us
is handled by us simply because
we have made a thorough inves-
tigation of the fuel question and
know that the DEWAR Soft
Lump Coal actually carries more
heat units than coal from any
other mines.

Remember if you get 1500 lbs. of
rump coal and 500 lbs. of slack for
a ton you have really only 1500 lbs.
of coal as the slack is worthless to
you. We would not let you have slack
if you wanted it as we need it for
our boilers, so be sure and get our
prices before you buy.

ADA ICE & COLD STORAGE CO.
Phone No. 29.

Oklahoma Central RAILWAY

ASA E. RAMSAY, Receiver

Time Table in Effect June 18th, 1911

WESTWARD				EASTWARD			
P M	A M	Lv	Ar	P M	A M	Lv	Ar
	7 00				5 00		
	7 35		LEHIGH		4 30		
	8 05		Nixon		4 05		
	8 40		Tupelo		3 40		
	9 00		Stonewall		3 27		
	9 20		Frisco		3 14		
3 30	10 05		Truax				
			ADA		2 55		
3 50	11 15		Center		1 40	2 34	
4 02	11 35		Vanoss		1 25	2 20	
4 20	12 10	Ar					
4 40	12 40	Lv	STRATFORD		12 25	2 02	
4 40	1 42		Byars		12 00	1 42	
5 07	2 05		Rosedale		11 15	1 17	
5 20	2 18		Vincennes		10 50	1 05	
5 40	2 40	Ar			10 30	12 50	
5 50	3 00	Lv	PURCELL		9 55	12 28	
6 00	3 15		Gibbons Spur		9 30	12 20	
6 10	3 35		Washington		9 17	12 00	
6 34	4 25		Blanchard		8 45	12 00	
6 52	4 55		Middleberg		8 10	11 40	
7 05	5 25		Tabler		7 40	11 25	
7 15	5 40		Cornville		7 15	11 15	
7 30	6 00	Ar	CHICKASHA		7 00	11 00	
P M	P M				A M	A M	

B. M. HAILE, Traffic Manager,

PURCELL, OKLAHOMA

\$10,000,000, being the richest school
in the South. This is the gift of Wm.
M. Rice, who made his millions in
Texas, and took that method of giv-
ing it all back to the people. It is
given out that there will be no tu-
ition charge in this great institution.
The University of Texas ranks next,
being richly endowed with several
millions of acres of land, which is
rapidly increasing in value. If sold
this land would probably bring
\$5,000,000. As stated above Tulane
and Vanderbilt both have endow-
ments of over \$1,000,000 each. Pea-
body college, at Nashville, has just
been endowed with more than \$1,-
000,000. The University of Virginia
also has something like this amount,
and Tuskegee Institute, Booker
Washington's school, has in the
neighborhood of that sum. Other
schools in different parts of the South
have added considerably to their re-
sources, so it is a safe estimate to
place the total endowment of south-
ern colleges at \$35,000,000.

A Modern Steamship.

The experience of the past five
years has demonstrated that the big
ship not only pays, but pays larger
dividends in proportion to its cost
than the smaller ship, no matter how
fast the latter may be.

Longer than five New York City
blocks, measured up Broadway, or as
long as a train of ordinary freight
cars, the "ground space," if one may
use that term, occupied by the thou-
sand-foot ship will be greater than
that of the largest New York hotel,
while its eleven or twelve stories
above the water line, in addition to
the steerage, give it housing accom-
modations far exceeding the larges-
t of land-bound hostleries. Indeed, the
housand-foot ship will be not a sea-
going express train, but a sea-going
hotel—nothing less.

The sea-going skyscraper will be
built and operated as a commercial
venture and so it will be a six-day
boat, or, like the new White Star Lin-
er Gigantic, even a seven-day boat,
loafing across the Atlantic in securi-
ty and the utmost of comfort, rather
than a five-day boat or four-day
racer speeding against time.

On the topmost deck of the Olym-
pic, with a sweeping view of the sea,
are the most expensive quarters, cost-
ing from \$1,200 to \$1,150 a suite for a
single transatlantic voyage. The
roomy sleeping cabins are equipped
not with berths but with brass beds
side by side. The suites contain draw-
ing rooms, dining rooms and even
libraries, to say nothing of luxuri-
ously fitted bathrooms and all lighted
not by portholes but by large, square
sash windows letting in the daylight,
by which the passenger can read all
that he will ever know of the by-
gone floating prisons they called pas-
senger ships not many years ago.

The fortunate occupant of one of
these suites is surrounded by silken
hangings and costly furniture of ma-
hogany, cherry, copper and brass. He
is warmed by electricity and breathes
purified air that flows through veni-
lators into each room, changed eight
to ten times an hour, its tempera-
ture being regulated by thermostats
and the proper content of humidity
given by sprays of steam as the noise-
less fans force it into the ventilat-
ing tubes.

Even in the private bathrooms lux-
ury is carried to its limit. Tiled and
polished, these rooms are equipped
with showers and such other conven-
iences as electric curling-tong heat-
ers. Electric cigar lighters are pro-
vided for smokers, and vacuum clean-
ers are used to keep all quarters in
perfect sanitary condition. "Sky-
scrapers of the Sea" in Hampton
Magazine.



Our Sympathy

is always extended to those in
distress, but we have no sym-
pathy to waste on the man
who borrows his neighbor's
paper when he can have one
of his own at a mere nominal
expense. Your home paper
stands for your interests and
the interests of your home
town. It deserves your moral
and financial support. If you
are not a member of our
family of readers you should
begin now by sending in your
subscription.

ITEMS FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Oklahoma City, Mar. 12.—Contracts
for a five year adoption of text-books
will be considered by the state board
of education on July 15th. For thirty
days prior to this time, representa-
tives of the book companies will be
heard as to the merits of the differ-
ent books. The present adoption, the
first for the state, will expire Sep-
tember 1st, 1913, and the new adop-
tion will begin on that date.

Faculties for the six normal
schools and many of the other in-
stitutions were elected by the board
last Saturday. The presidents had
been notified to make their recom-
mendations in writing at that time.
This was done and the recommenda-
tions of the heads of the institutions
were approved. No president nor any
employee of any institution was in
the city, and there was nothing about
rooms to indicate that such action
was being taken. There were very
few changes made. No president of
the university was elected, but at a
meeting of the board this week, final
decision will be made.

Supt. Wilson will begin in a few
days the work of compiling the school
laws of the state. The new laws
should have been out in January, but
on account of there being but one
copy of the code as adopted by the
Third legislature, the department has
had no copy. It is intended to have
the new laws compiled, printed and
in the hands of the county superin-
tendents ready for distribution by the
time the proclamation is issued by
the governor putting the new code
into effect.

A meeting of city superintendents
and high school principals has been
called to meet in Oklahoma City
April 25th and 26th for the purpose
of agreeing upon and working out a
course of study for the high schools.

COURT DOES NOT PASS ON McALESTER RECALL.

Oklahoma City, March 13.—In re-
versing and remanding with instruc-
tions to dismiss the "recall" case ap-
pealed from Pittsburg county, the Su-
preme court, in an opinion delivered
yesterday by Justice Kane, declined
to pass upon the constitutionality of
the recall provision of the McAlester
city charter.

Petition was filed with the city
council for an election to recall
Mayor Peter Hanratty. Tal Milwee and
other taxpayers applied to the Dis-
trict court for an injunction to pre-
vent the election, and in granting it
the court held the recall provision to
be unconstitutional.

From this an appeal was brought
by the city of McAlester.

Recall Provision Interest.

It was admitted by counsel for both
sides that while the issue was whether
or not an injunction would lie
against calling the election, yet they
were more interested in securing a
ruling upon the recall provision. In
declining to pass upon that issue, the
Supreme court said it would be time
enough to do so when such important
question reached it in due course
and in proper proceeding.

It was held that a court of equity
has no jurisdiction to restrain an
election, since the right involved is a
political one, and that taxpayer has
not such an interest in a suit to en-
join the holding of an election as the
one proposed as would entitle him to
prosecute such a suit as a complain-
ant.

GREAT EMPEROR'S PET NAME

In Home Circle German War Lord
Permits Himself to Be Known
as "Willy."

In the Woman's Home Companion
there is an intimate personal story of
Emperor William's only daughter,
Victoria Luise, in which many new
facts are brought out about the em-
peror and empress of Germany. Fol-
lowing is a brief extract:

"The emperor, in absence of his
consort, speaks of her as 'my wife';
the empress in the home circle ad-
dresses him as 'Willy.' The former
alludes to his family, from the crown
prince to the princess, as 'my young
ones'; the latter speaks of them not
by title, but as 'my children,' both ex-
pressions so clearly conveying the
close existing attachment.

"Very often the emperor gives evi-
dence at unexpected moments of the
ever-present thought with him of his
family. At times, when they were
small children, and he was being en-
tertained at state banquets as the
guest of princes or cities, he would
slip bonbons into his pocket, quietly
saying, 'These are for the young
ones; something brought home al-
ways tastes better; I know that from
experience.'

"It is told of the emperor that in
Rome, when he was selecting a gown
to take home as a present to the em-
press, a relative advised as choice an
elaborate creation, mainly of lace.
'Impossible!' he answered. 'With the
children constantly clambering over
her, it would soon be in ribbons.'

DEEPEST DEPTHS OF POVERTY

Section in Italian Capital That Might
Challenge Comparison With
Any World City.

The problem of life among the poor
of Rome, Italy, has been illustrated
by Prof. Domenico Orano, who re-
cently wrote a book dealing with the
miserable condition of the inhabi-
tants of the Testaccio quarter, the
most densely populated district of
Rome.

Out of the 10,000 inhabitants of this
quarter, scattered in 82 tenement
houses, there are 723 families who
cannot afford to rent apartments but
are forced to sublet enough space in
rooms where they can sleep. There
are 513 single-room apartments in the
quarter and 109 rooms are occupied
by five persons each, 76 by 6, 25 by 8,
while the rest afford shelter to from
10 to 15 people. The rent for sleep-
ing space in each room varies from
\$1 to \$5 a month.

The hygienic conditions of the ten-
ement houses in Testaccio are very
bad. As a rule the poor people of
Rome live on vegetable soup with
paste and bread, as they cannot af-
ford to eat either meat or fish, but to
make up for their scanty diet they
drink wine freely. There are 38 wine
shops in the quarter against only
three shops where milk is sold, and
the average daily consumption of
wine is over 2,170 gallons for 10,000
people, including women and chil-
dren.

Society's Latest Fad.

If the reports current in Paris sa-
lons are to be credited leaders of fash-
ion will shortly start their humbler
sisters by appearing with feet and
ankles bare. The ladies declare that
in the name of hygiene and beauty
all their followers should discard shoes
and stockings as all seekers of good
health forbid the corset. It is said
delicate white satin anklets will be
allowed and the toes of the fair wear-
ers will nestle under borders of bright
hued woolen flowers. The same flow-
ers will climb like creepers around
the bare ankles.

This new fashion craze will also
lead, it is anticipated, to devoted
swains imprinting a chaste salute on
the ladies' feet instead of on their
hands, and in view of such a proceed-
ing taking place already some noted
beauties are practicing exercises to
render their knees supple.—Exchange.

Curran and the Irish Chief Justice.

Lord Norbury held his post as Irish
chief justice, in defiance of hints that
he should resign, until he was 87.
When he was 87 it was suggested to
him very strongly by the Lord Lieu-
tenant that he ought to go, but the
negotiations were broken off by Nor-
bury challenging the envoy to fight.
His rambling and irrelevant com-
ments often annoyed counsel. Once
when he was maundering on he was
interrupted by a sound which he only
partially heard but which was really
the braying of a donkey. "What
noise was that?" he asked. "Merely
an echo of the court, m'lud," replied
Curran gravely.

Another judge called Fletcher, a
very surly person, said to counsel,
"Sir, I'll not sit here to be baited like
a bear tied to the stake." "No, not
tied, m'lud," was the suave interrup-
tion.—Westminster Gazette.

Talk the Fountain of Life.

A well-known doctor has recently
propounded rather a curious theory.
He says:

"Actresses and actors and all pub-
lic speakers, lecturers, statesmen,
politicians, professors—all live to a
great age as a rule because they use
their lungs. The average person
doesn't breathe properly and does not
make sufficient use of his lungs.
Breathe as much as you can and talk
as much as you can. That is the
recipe for reaching an old age and re-
maining young."

Some one whispered: "Now I see
why women generally live longer
than men. They talk more."

PROFESSIONAL MEN

GRANGER & GRANGER DENTISTS.

Phone No. 212.
Residence Phone No. 259.
Rooms 1 and 2, First Nat'l Bank Bldg

DR. B. B. DAWSON,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office Over M. & P. Bank.
Phones : : : : 318 and 357

S. P. ROSS

Physician and Surgeon
Office Aldrich Bldg., Phone 35; Resi-
dence 226 E. 17th St., Phone 235.

J. R. CRAIG

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Over Ada National Bank.
Phone Nos.— Office, 59; Res. 251

Z. B. SANDERS ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Office—Rooms 1 and 2, Carney-Ber-
ringer New Block on Townsend.

U. A. CALDWELL ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Office:—Second Floor Oklahoma
State Bank Building.

J. P. Crawford Jas. W. Rolan
CRAWFORD & ROLAN
LAWYERS.

At the Front over the Oklahoma State
Bank, Ada, Okla.

DR. T. W. CHADWICK Veterinary Surgeon, Treats all Domes- tic Animals.

Hospital West 12th St.
Phones—Hospital, 306. Res. 15.
ADA, OKLAHOMA.

J. E. Webb C. H. Ennis

WEBB & ENNIS
Lawyers.
Office of City Attorney, City Hall

H. J. BOWLES
DENTIST
Rooms 1 and 2 New Aldrich Building
opposite Postoffice.

Phone: Office No. 35. Res. No. 279

M. W. LIGON
Physician and Surgeon
Office in First National Bank Bldg

DR. J. W. WIMBISH
Physician
Office with Drs. Ligon & King
Phones—Residence 401; Office 71

DRS. BINGHAM
Cure Without Drugs.

110 1-2 East Main St. Phone 432

Drs. Faust & Hartman

Office and Hospital, Conn
Building

Phone 80

NOTICE.

Notice to Property Owners Claiming
Damage by Reason of the Passage
of Ordinance Number Two Hundred
Fifty Nine of the City of Ada.

Each property owner of the City of
Ada, feeling aggrieved and claiming
damage by reason of the vacation of
parts of certain streets as set out in
Ordinance number Two Hundred Fift-
y-nine, passed by the City Council
of the City of Ada, on the 22nd day
of January, 1912, is hereby notified
that the undersigned, constituting the
board of appraisers, created by Or-
dinance number Two Hundred Sixty-
four, passed by the City Council of
the City of Ada, on the fourth day
of March, 1912, and approved by the
Mayor of said City on the fifth day
of March, 1912, have qualified as
members of said board of appraisers
by subscribing and filing with the City
Clerk the oath provided in said ordi-
nance number Two Hundred Sixty-
four, and that said board of apprais-
ers have organized by electing A. J.
Deaton as chairman and R. E. Blanks
as secretary of said board and that
said board of appraisers will hold its
first meeting for the purpose of tak-
ing up and hearing said claims, at
the office of the Police Judge, in the
City Hall, on Tuesday, March 19th,
1912, at ten o'clock A. M. of said
day; and that each of said claimants
are hereby notified to make out their
claim in writing, specifying the lot
and block owned by claimant and the
amount of damage claimed by him
and file said claim with R. E. Blanks,
the secretary of said board on or be-
fore the said 19th day of March, 1912,
and that said claims will be filed by
the secretary of said board and num-
bered consecutively in the order in
which they are presented and will be
taken up and considered by said board
in the order in which they have been
filed, and each claimant must support
his claim by testimony of witnesses
under oath, and each may appear by
counsel. The City will be represented
at said hearing by the City Attorney;
and each of said claimants will please
take notice, that no claim that is not
filed with the secretary on or before
the said 19th day of March, 1912, will
be considered by this board.

The sessions of the Board of ap-
praisers will be held from ten o'clock
A. M. to twelve o'clock (noon) and
from two o'clock to five o'clock P. M.
commencing on the said 19th day of
March, 1912, and continued from day
to day, until all claims have been
heard and passed upon.

Dated at Ada, Okla., this 7th day of
March, 1912.

A. J. DEATON,
F. S. HOUPPT,
L. J. CROWDER,
HENRY COLLINS,
R. E. BLANKS, Sec'y.
Board of Appraisers.

Try Pasteurized Milk and Cream.
For It Is Good. Office Phone 132,
Res. 193—McGuire's Jersey Dairy

283dfl

FOR BALDNESS

This Treatment Costs Nothing if It
Fails.

We want you to try three large
bottles of Rexall "93" Hair Tonic on
our personal guarantee that we will
refund your money for the mere ask-
ing if it does not give you absolute
satisfaction. That's proof of our
faith in this remedy, and it should
indisputably demonstrate that we
know what we are talking about
when we say that Rexall "93" Hair
Tonic will grow hair except where
baldness has been of such long du-
ration that the roots of the hair are en-
tirely dead.

We are basing our statements upon
what has already been accomplished
by the use of Rexall "93" Hair Tonic.
We believe that what it has done for
thousands of others it will do for
you. In any event you cannot lose
anything by giving it a trial on our
liberal guarantee. Two sizes, 50c
and \$1.00. Remember, you can ob-
tain Rexall Remedies in this com-
munity only at our store—the Rexall
Store—Gwin & Mays Drug Co.

J. P. Norton, of Ada, says: My Kid-
ney and Bladder trouble cured. I suf-
fered severely with kidney trouble
for two years, but thanks to Nyal's
Kidney Pills, I am well and strong.
I take great pleasure in recommend-
ing Nyal's Kidney Pills to my friends.
You can get them from Gwin & Mays.
Sincerely your friend, (Signed) J. P.
Norton. eod&wtf

PASTEURIZED Milk and Cream Is THE KIND TO USE



If you are a user of milk and
cream, try PASTEURIZED milk
and cream. It is sold on a
GUARANTEE to be free from
all impurities.

McGuire's Jersey Dairy

Office Phone 132. Res. 193

FREE PRESENTS

With White Swan and Wapco Labels and
Coupons. Phone or send a postcard for our
Catalogue, which explains.

Waples Platter Grocer Co., Ada, Okla.

Nice, Tender Meats

of all kinds can be found at the

Ada C. C. D. Market

If you are not already a customer, try us. All orders promptly delivered. Phone 201.

KENT & SON, Proprietors

We Furnish Complete ABSTRACTS

to town lots and farm lands, Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, promptly. Rates reasonable. No commissions paid agents, therefore no necessity of showing unnecessary matter.

Our long experience in the business is evidence of our ability to do your work correctly.

Special attention to conveyancing and clearing of clouded titles.

We examine the records not the man

Home Title Guaranty Co., Inc.

A. H. CONSTANT, Manager.
Phone 355.

Whales Live 1,000 Years.

Undoubtedly the longest lived animal on earth is the whale, its span of existence being estimated by Cuvier at 1,000 years. The next largest animal, the elephant will under favorable conditions, live 400 years.

When Alexander the Great conquered Persia, king of India, he took a great elephant that had fought gallantly for the defeated king, named him Ajax, dedicated him to the sun, placed upon him a metal band with the inscription, "Alexander, the son



On the modern household. The up-to-date housewife no longer finds the household duties a drudgery. She has electricity installed in her home, the house is heated, she cooks, bakes, operates her sewing machine, her washing machine and does her ironing all by electricity. It saves health and strength and prolongs life. It is quick, reliable and convenient. The housewife who would like to learn how to lighten her labors should call at our office. We will be glad to explain more fully.

ADA ELECTRIC AND GAS CO.
Phone No. 78. South Broadway

FREE

Rieger the California Perfumer knows everywhere for the true flower odors characteristic of his perfumes has just sent us 30,000

Sweet Pea Seeds from California

These are now being given away to any adult who calls at our store.

PRIZES

We also offer prizes to those who grow the finest blossoms from these seeds. See window for particulars. It is now planting time. Everything free. No purchase necessary.

Rieger is the man who makes Royal Cherry Buds the sweetest perfume ever known.

JONES DRUG CO.
ON THE CORNER

F. M. MANVILLE, VICE PRES.

Ada Title & Trust Company

LOANS—We make loans promptly and on the best terms. Farm or City property.

ABSTRACTS—We have the oldest and most complete Abstract plant in the county, and our charges are reasonable.

INSURANCE—We represent the world's leading Fire Insurance companies and can insure your city and farm property on the best terms.

REAL ESTATE—We make a specialty of handling real estate and rental property.

Any business entrusted to us will be appreciated and you will be pleased.

ADA TITLE & TRUST COMPANY

Phone 73 Office Rear of Oklahoma State Bank

of Jupiter, dedicated Ajax to the sun. The elephant was found alive 350 years later.

The average age of cats is 15 years of squirrels, 7 to 8 years; of rabbits, 7; a bear rarely exceeds 20 years, a wolf, 20; a fox, 14 to 16. Lions are comparatively long lived, instances having been recorded where they reach the age of 70.

Pigs have been known to live twenty years and horses sixty, but the average age of the horse is 25 to 30. Camels sometimes live to the age of 100 and stags are very long lived, one having been taken by Charles VI. in the forest of Senlis which bore about its neck a collar on which was engraved, "Caesar hoc mihi donavit."

Whether or not this stag had actually lived since the days of one of the Caesars it is impossible to say, but the evidence seems good.

Eagles occasionally and ravens frequently reach the age of 100 years and swans have been known to live 300 years. A tortoise has been known to live 100 years.

Efforts have been made to connect the rapidity of the pulse beat with longevity, but no logical conclusion can be reached, as will be seen from the fact that the pulse of a lion beats forty times a minute; that of a tiger, ninety-six times; of a horse, forty times; of a wolf, forty-five times; of a fox, forty-three times; of a bear, thirty-three times, and of an eagle, 160 times. It has been impossible to count the beats of an elephant's pulse but that of a butterfly beats sixty times to the minute.

What We Pay Our Governors.

Those who aspire to be governors of states usually do so for the honor attached. Occasionally one seeks in gubernatorial position to satisfy political ambition or as a stepping stone to the office of senator or president.

Rarely does any man seek such an office on account of the salary. Few of the states pay salaries proportionate to the responsibilities of the office. Oklahoma pays her governor \$4,500 per annum, which is not enough compared to the scale of salaries paid other state officers.

This may not be the time to talk of raising the salaries of public officers, but in the adjustment to come in this state in the near future, an equitable schedule should be worked out to pay the governor a higher salary than at present and to do much pruning in the salary list when it is notoriously out of line for the duties performed.

Illinois leads in liberality in payment of its governors, overtopping even New York. It pays its governor \$12,000 a year, while New York, California, New Jersey, Ohio and Pennsylvania pay \$10,000 each.

Fifty-one governors are listed for the states, territories and insular possessions. Indiana, Massachusetts and Porto Rico pay each \$8,000; Minnesota, Alaska and Hawaii \$7,500 each; Kentucky, \$6,500, and Washington pays \$6,000.

Eighteen states pay their governors \$5,000 per annum, being Alabama, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Michigan, Missouri, Montana, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oregon, Virginia, West Virginia and Wisconsin.

In the \$4,500 class are Maryland, and Mississippi, while Arkansas, Connecticut, Delaware, Nevada, Tennessee, Texas, Utah and Wyoming content themselves with \$4,000. The governors of Maine, New Hampshire, Little Rhode Island, South Carolina and South Dakota get \$3,000 each.

Nebraska and Vermont are stingy, paying a salary of only \$2,500 each, and the voters of those states probably expect the same service as do the people of Illinois.—Oklahoman.

Always get all kinds of paint at lowest prices at Dr. Holley's Drug Store.

LIKE STROKE OF LIGHTNING

Veteran Soldier Tells How Wound Affects Fighter on the Field of Battle.

General Miles in his book, "Serving the Republic," says that, like every other soldier who has seen much active service, he is often asked how it feels to be wounded. He himself was wounded four times, and twice almost fatally, so he is able to speak from experience. He says: "One is often asked how it seems to be wounded in battle. The flight of a bullet is quicker than thought, and has passed through a flesh wound before one realizes that he has been struck. I have seen bodies of men dead on the field of battle where the brain had been pierced and death had been instantaneous. They would remain in every position of the manual of arms, with an anxious look, a frown or a smile on their cold and rigid faces. My wounds received at Fair Oaks, Fredericksburg and Petersburg were flesh wounds, and disabled me but a short time. While riding down the line at Chancellorsville one of the enemy's bullets struck my metallic belt plate with great force. This caused a slight deviation as it entered the body. The result was an instant deathly sickening sensation; my sword dropped from my right hand, my scabbard and belt dropped to the left; I was completely paralyzed below the waist. My horse seemed to realize what had occurred; he stopped, turned and walked slowly back—I holding to the pommel of the saddle with my hands. We soon reached a group of soldiers, who took me off and, placing me in a blanket, carried me to the Chancellorsville House, and pulled a dead man off a couch to make room for me."

MOSE NOT HARD TO SATISFY

As Far as Prisoner Was Concerned, He Was Willing to Let the Matter Drop.

Bozeman Bulger, a baseball writer, says that in his home town, down in Southern Alabama, a negro was brought into court to answer a charge of murder.

"Mose Tupper," said the judge, contemplating the prisoner over his spectacles, "you are accused here of one of the most serious crimes known to our laws—towitz, the taking of a human life. Are you properly represented by counsel?"

"No, suh," said the darky cheerfully.

"Well, have you talked to any one about your defense since your arrest?"

"I told the sheriff about the shoot-in' when he come to my cabin to fetch me heah," said the prisoner— "but tha's all."

"And have you taken no steps what ever to engage a lawyer?"

"No, suh," said Mose. "I ain't got no money to be wastin' on lawyers. Dey tell me lawyers is mighty co'stly."

"If you have no funds," insisted the judge, "it lies within the power of the court to appoint an attorney to defend you without charge."

"You needn't be botherin' yo'self, judge," answered Mose.

"Well, what do you propose to do about this case?" demanded his honor.

"Jedge," said the negro, "ez fur ez Ise concerned yo kin jes' let de matter drap!"—Saturday Evening Post.

Why He Was Not Guilty.

"Little X," says a writer in the Army and Navy Journal, "was one of the most popular of our young officers in the army maneuvers at — during 1910. He had served in the cavalry and had brought with him the cavalry swagger, wore his campaign hat turned up in front and rear, and is said to have slept in his spurs. Our lieutenant colonel, whose treatment of younger officers had made him most unpopular, was then in command of the regiment.

"One day Little X passed the Colonel's tent while the old man was standing out in front looking for trouble. He spotted X and sent his orderly for him. 'Mister X,' said the colonel as Johnny saluted and brought his heels together with the approved click. 'Mister X, you appear to have a touch of the outie about you. 'Why, colonel,' said X, 'you must be mistaken; I haven't had a drink since I came to camp.'"

Laying Something by for Future.

The general prosperity can only be a reflection of the prosperity of the individual, and no individual is really prosperous who is not laying aside something for the future. The man who makes \$10,000 per year and spends \$10,000 is poorer than the man who makes \$1,000 and spends but \$900. It may be hard to walk while your neighbor whisks by in an automobile, but it is the man who has the courage and character to live well within his means who accumulates enough capital to do things in the world.—Indianapolis Star.

His Life Work.

Is this an artist? Yes, that is what he calls himself.
Is his studio beautiful? It is.
Where did he get the money with which to buy beautiful things? From a rich uncle who died.
Does the artist hold lovely afternoon receptions? He does.
What is he painting? A picture.
How long has he been painting the picture? About seven years.
Will he ever finish it? NO!—Puck.

FLATDWELLER IN SUBURBS

He Found That He Had Forgotten How to Skate—And Something Else Too.

"I wouldn't have thought," said a former flat dweller, "that one could ever forget how to skate, but I have discovered that he can."

"Last spring, after twenty years in a city flat, we moved to a house in the suburb near which there is a pond that gives good skating in winter. When I was a boy I used to be good on skates and the other day I went out to this pond. I hadn't skated for more than twenty years, but I had no idea but that I could put on a pair of skates and just glide right off with the rest of them. Do you know what actually happened?"

"I got a pair of skates and stood up on them, but that was about all. I could stand up, but not much more, and surely I was surprised. I made a few efforts, and I did get a little distance, but only by great effort, and my feet were apt to spread out and my ankles to turn and I was all the time in danger of falling down. So I was very glad to get those skates off and to acknowledge that I had forgotten how to skate. But that was nothing to another thing I had forgotten, namely, the use of the snow shovel."

"There was a time when I could shovel snow with the best of them; but during those twenty years up in the flat I had never touched a shovel; the janitor attended to all that. But here in our own suburban home when snow fell the shovelling was up to me; the walk from the front door to the sidewalk, the stretch of sidewalk itself, and the walk around to the kitchen door."

"And when I tackled this job for the first time, well, I was surprised, indeed, to find how much I'd forgotten about snow shovelling."

"But there was nobody but me to do it, and it had to be done. I may never again learn to skate, but I've had to learn anew how to shovel snow."

CHURCHMAN PARTY TO FRAUD

At Least, Ecclesiastic Thought So When Told Emerald Was Only an Imitation.

Bishop Johnson of South Dakota tells this story of himself:

"I was dining one night beside a man of whom I had never heard before. I soon discovered that he was quick witted and later I was also to discover that he was a jewelry expert. I was wearing an emerald ring which I prize very highly for its history as well as for its beauty."

"Will you let me see your ring?" he asked.

"I gladly passed the trinket to him; he examined it critically, and then returned it, saying:

"It is the best imitation emerald I ever saw."

"I was startled. I told him that it was genuine and had been used in England by churchmen for 200 years, and that it had always been considered a flawless gem."

"Nevertheless," he replied, "it is an imitation emerald."

"Some time later I met an expert in gems in New York, showed him the ring and asked his opinion of it. The man looked at it and told me that it was an imitation."

"I have reproached myself for having told you," he remarked.

"I'm glad you did tell me," I replied. "Else I might have transmitted a lie to posterity."

"You surely would have been in good company in doing that," said he, and the incident was at an end."—The World Today.

Decline of Repentance.

Repentance—once so universally practiced at this season of the year, as well as on birthdays, and sometimes on Sundays—is rapidly becoming one of the obsolete virtues. Even novelists seem to have grown tired of the "wabbling" heroine, the lady who plunged into exotic sins one day and betook herself (metaphorically) to a nunnery the next, only to join the army of backsliders with greater zest than ever as soon as her fit of penitence was over. Despite copybook maxims warning the unwary of the futility of indulging in lamentation over spilt milk, repentance has flourished exceedingly, and women especially have hitherto always manifested a strong bias in that direction.

Repentance needs leisure, and that may be why it is gradually going out of fashion. People have no time to look backwards, and, moreover, they are now realizing the futility of doing so. Like Omar Khayyam, they understand that no one can rub out what the moving finger has written, and that tears are powerless to undo what has once been done.—Exchange.

Much-Named Isle.

The Parisians, who are extremely fond of changing place names within their jurisdiction, have never equalled the record established in this respect in the case of the Island of Reunion, which has changed its name four times in a little over half a century and with little or no reason for doing so.

In 1793 it was Bourbon, as it had been for a century and a half; but the convention then changed it to Reunion.

Under the empire it became Isle Bonaparte, at the restoration it reverted to Bourbon, and, finally, in 1848, it became Reunion once more and so far has retained that name.

Are You A Woman?

TAKE GARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

EL 1

Oklahoma Vital Statistics.

Oklahoma City, Ok., March 13.—During the month of January 3,150 births and 995 deaths were reported to the state department of health. Of the births 1,684 were males and 3,062 were white. On the death side of the ledger 529 were males and 390 white. Tuberculosis held the January record among contagious and infectious diseases. There were 96 cases and 63 deaths. Pneumonia furnished 574 cases and 163 deaths, diphtheria 140 cases and 14 deaths, scarlet fever 116 cases and 4 deaths, typhoid fever 97 cases and 24 deaths, while of the 184 cases of smallpox all recovered. Delaware county had a smallpox epidemic during that month, the number of cases running 137.

SENATOR PEPPER OF KANSAS IN CRITICAL CONDITION

Topeka, Kan., March 14.—William A. Pepper, the first populist United States senator from Kansas, is critically ill here. The old man's right leg was amputated above the knee this morning to check gangrene affecting his foot. Senator Pepper was the most talked of man in the United States in 1891 when he was elected senator from Kansas to succeed the brilliant John J. Ingalls. It was he who furnished the whisker idea for the populist party. Senator Pepper had the finest set of whiskers of any man who ever entered public life. Since he retired from the senate he worked in Washington for a while and later returned to Topeka where he has maintained an office.

The Last of Groundhog Days.

Today marks the end of the sixth week since the groundhog sought again the shelter of his den, and although the day has been bright, the little animal must have shivered a little as he came out for the remainder of the year. The northern blew up about five yesterday afternoon and this morning a seven thermometer stood at 22 and the wind whistling as merrily as if it were the middle of autumn instead of March. Of course, however, if the backbone of winter is broken, as some claim, one naturally wishes that it would stop slopping its tail about so vigorously.

Profs. Lemon and Stone are extremely busy today putting furniture in place for the Commercial college which will open its doors Monday. These men are here for business and make a success of the school from the first, because they have not only the ability but also the nerve and push necessary to make it go.

VOLCANIC DISTURBANCES MAY DAMAGE PANAMA CANAL

New York, March 13.—That a volcano, dormant for many centuries, is threatening in the vicinity of the Panama canal is announced in dispatches from Colon received here today. The volcano is said to underlie the Culebra cut.

Fear of volcanic troubles originated when clouds of steam and blue smoke rose from newly turned ground. Every drill hole in the affected area is tested with a thermometer before dynamite is put in to prevent a premature explosion.

The division engineer's report of the phenomenon says:

"Three weeks ago I noticed that the material at the locality described, which consisted of a stratified sedimentary rock, among which there appeared some lignite of a low grade was sending up a thing cloud of white steam or vapor. I examined the spot and found that the entire mass was heated to a considerable temperature."

"Steam was escaping from numerous openings and from four principal vents and the sides of two of the vents were encrusted with white and yellow powdered material, the yellow appearing to be sulphur."

"Within the past five days there has been quite a change in two important characteristics. The temperature has increased and a pale blue smoke instead of steam is now emerging from the vents."

"To give an idea of the temperature of the larger vent, I took a piece of white pine and held it for three minutes in the mouth of the large vent and it was completely charred."

The canal commission's geologist declares that the steam and smoke are due only to oxidation of pyrites and have no volcanic significance.

Robert Wimbish returned last night from Oklahoma City, where yesterday he argued the mandamus suit of the county before the supreme court. It will be sixty days or longer before the court hands down a decision in this noted case.

NOTICE!

We have moved our Tailor Shop from West Main to 3rd door East of P. O.
Your Patronage Solicited.

Miller Bros.

Geo. A. Harrison Edward Harrison J. F. Floyd

HARRISON BROS. & FLOYD

Farm Loans City Loans Insurance

Buy and sell Farm and City Property. Make a specialty of Rental Property. List your property with us. See us when you want to buy, sell, rent, or have something to rent. We also have the best FIRE INSURANCE companies in the world. If you want a loan without delay, see us.

Loaned over \$100,000 in 1911

HARRISON BROS. & FLOYD

Rollow Bldg. Rooms 1 and 2 Phone 325

MAJESTIC

THE WORLD'S BEST PICTURES

BIOGRAPH-LIFE PORTRAYAL

"THE FAILURE"

A dramatic presentation of gay life in the great metropolis. Good manifests itself where it is least expected. This story contains a double lesson of powerful significance.

SELIG'S ROMANTIC DRAMA.

The Convert of San Clemente

A dramatic reproduction of an actual historical event.

TOMORROW!

Maurice Costello in "An Innocent Burglar"
Edward O'Conner in "The Bo'sun's Watch"
AN IRISH COMEDY.

To-Night! AT THE DeSota!

JAMES CRUZE

features tonight in the mysterious drama:

"THE SILENT WITNESS"

Mr. Cruze is the leading actor of the Thanhouser Company and makes a hit anywhere seen. "The Silent Witness" is a picture you do not know the end of until the last foot of film is run.

"WHO WEARS THEM?"

An IMP! Who wears the pants in your family? Come and see who wears them in this picture.

"TEA"

Do you know anything about tea? Come and learn something about it if you don't.

5 AND 10 CENTS

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Smith Sells Furniture.

dtf

New Wall paper coming in all the while at Holley's.

229-tf

R. W. Simpson is on the sick list today and unable to be at his store.

Get the habit—Modern Cash Grocery—for less. Phone 198.

264-tf

BASKET BALL!

SATURDAY, MAR. 16

8:30 p. m. CITY HALL

EDMOND NORMAL

THE E. C. S. N.

Admission 35 Cents

This game decides the STATE CHAMPIONSHIP. SEE IT!

AS YOU READ THIS

Let your eyes telegraph to your mind that ours is the place you want to trade

25c Package Banner Oatmeal, Special per Pkg. 15c

Fresh bulk Kraut, per pound	3c	3-pound can Sweet Potatoes	12c
15c size bright, fat Norway Mackerel, each	8c	2c jar Apple Butter	15c
10c size Mackerel, four for	25c	6 cans 5c size Columbian Milk for	25c
3-lb. can E. F. Hominy for	5c	15c size Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes	10c
3-pound can Choice Plums for	8c	Mapl-Cornflakes, per package	10c
3-pound can Mountain Queen Apples	8c	Bulk Pearl Grits, per pound	5c
2-pound can Blackberries for	8c	Bulk Flaked Hominy, per pound	5c
2-pound can Strawberries for	8c	Package Cakes—Nabisco, Perfecto, Chocolate Fingers, Banana Bars, Grahams, Van Wafers, etc.	8c
2-pound can Spring Garden String Beans	8c	3 Bars Lenox Laundry Soap	10c
2-pound can Empson's Cut Beans	12c	Bulk Crusto Lard, per pound	10c
2 cans Concho Corn for	15c	10-pound pail Crusto Lard	98c
White Swan Corn, per can	12c		
3-pound can pumpkin, per can	8c		

15c Size, Best Standard Tomatoes, per Can, 10c

PHONE 424 **SANDERS & SON** 114 MAIN ST.
THE SPOT CASH GROCERS

Every tree and plant in my nursery must be sold by April 1st. T. A. Milstead. Phone 479. 291-3t-d*

No meningitis cases reported today from either town or country.

Phone in your order—we have the goods. R. C. Jeter. Phone 310. 290-3t

FOR SALE—Bell City incubator and brooder, \$8.00. Phone F 15. 293-4t*

J. W. Fuller and W. H. Stevens of Stonewall were looking after business matters in Ada this morning.

Compare my trees and prices with those of others before you buy. T. A. Milstead. Phone 479. 291-3t-d*

Serves You Right. Jones Drug Co 151-dtf

Loose leaf leakers at Holley's. 229-tf

Dr. W. D. Faust went to Atoka this morning to meet Mrs. Faust and daughters, who are returning from San Antonio.

All kinds of blank books, ledgers, books and day books at Holley's Drug Store. 229-tf

C. T. Barney, U. G. Winn and Jim Young returned this morning from the Guthrie convention. Although the steam roller had been all over them, they declared that in view of the fact that Jim Harris won his fight for state chairman, they did not have reason to feel so bad after all.

Finest line of chocolates in Ada at the Model Confectionery. 196-tf

Phone 198 for Modern groceries at modern prices. 264-tf

LOST—Knight Templar's Buckle. Has on it, red cross and inscription "In Hoc Signo Vincas". Return to Lillian Kendrick at Normal and receive reward. 293-2t

See B. B. Howard for all kinds of tin work. Phone 256. 166-dtf

LOST—Knight Templar Buckle, bearing inscription: "In hoc signo vincas," also engraved with a red cross. Return to Lillian Kendrick, at Kee's boarding house. 1td

The Man on the Box.

There is no one who does not thoroughly enjoy "The Man on the Box," for the play by Grace Livingston Furniss is no less enjoyable than the novel by Harold McGrath, and both have that something in their makeup that grips the interest and holds it firmly until the last word is spoken.

It happens that a young lieutenant of the regular army, lately resigned, seeks to play a practical joke on his sister by officiating, upon his return from a trip abroad, as the family coachman. He borrows a livery and proceeds to jump upon the box of what he supposes to be the family carriage, as the guests are leaving from the British Embassy, after a grand ball. Fate wills, however, that he shall mount the wrong box and that he shall kiss the wrong girl, Miss Betty Annesley by name, with the result that he finds himself in a police court undergoing examination and he finally extricates himself from this rather embarrassing position by actually accepting a place among the servants of the Annesley family.

With this beginning "The Man on the Box" develops extraordinary complications and makes its way through three acts of uproarious fun and enlivening dialogue. The many embarrassing situations in which the pseudo coachman finds himself as a consequence of his rash act furnishes a lively evening's entertainment. Of course, in the end he is unmasked, but wins the girl, so is well repaid for all the mental anguish he has undergone. Incidentally, he saves her father from a contemplated act of treason to the government, a situation which gives the play just the faintest touch of good melo-drama and makes it all the more enjoyable.

"The Man on the Box" will be presented at the City Hall opera house on Tuesday, March 19, by a special company headed by Mr. Bert Leigh in the role of "Lieutenant Warburton," supported by Miss Billy Long and a good cast. A production that is complete to the slightest detail is guaranteed.

Baptist Church.

Dr. Love secretary of Southern Baptist convention will speak at the church at 7:30 p. m., also Rev. E. L. Morgan returned missionary from Northern China. Services tomorrow at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

For Sale or Trade.

Fifty nice, fresh Jersey milk cows. White & Gay, Ada, Okla. 293-12td

JOY AND BLISS

Hot Springs Liver Buttons Make Constipation Sufferers Happy.

Don't be peevish—decide today that you are going to give all the old-time constipation remedies the go-by and try one box—just one box—of the new and better liver, bowel and stomach remedy.

Just try them once and you'll never be satisfied with pills, salts, waters, oils or any other out-of-date preparation.

Hot Springs Liver Buttons are the product of the greatest medical minds in Hot Springs, Ark., the world's greatest sanitarium where the Springs are owned by the United States government.

Don't fail to take them for constipation, sluggish liver, gas, biliousness, sick headache, stomach distress. They certainly do keep the bowels in fine condition and bring cheerfulness and health to all who use them. 52 cents a box. For sale by the Madrox Drug Co. Hot Springs Chemical Co., Hot Springs, Ark.

DR. A. GRANT EVANS WILL ADDRESS DEMOCRATS

Col. E. F. Wortham requests the News to announce that Dr. A. Grant Evans, former president of the state university, will address the voters of Pontotoc county tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the city hall. At the same time a Federated Democratic club.

GETS VERDICT AGAINST M. O. & G. FOR \$5,000

The jury in the suit of W. E. Miller vs. the M. O. & G. railroad, in which the plaintiff sought to recover \$20,000 damages for personal injuries, this afternoon returned a verdict for \$5,000.

The court reduced the appeal bond of Blake Allen from \$3,000 to \$2,000 which he made.

This afternoon the suit of J. Q. Adams vs. C. O. Barton et al is on trial. Adams alleges defamation of character and asks \$25,000 damages.

The next case to be tried will probably be the \$10,000 slander suit of Mrs. George and Mrs. Culver against R. E. Haynes.

Plenty of good clean lump coal on hand. Ada Ice & Cold Storage Co. 2t

VALUABLE HORSE ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

This afternoon F. R. Harris lost a valuable saddle horse as the result of an accident. The horse was tied to a weight, and, becoming frightened, broke away and ran up 12th street, dragging the weight with him. He ran full tilt into the tongue of a farmer's wagon, which penetrated his breast, and in a few minutes had bled to death.

Phillips on Matrimony.

The late David Graham Phillips had, like many bachelors, a cynical view of matrimony. Mr. Phillips, at a reunion of Princeton's class of '87, at the Princeton club, said of marriage: "The Persians have a proverb that every young man should consider well before proposing. It runs: 'He that ventureth on matrimony is like unto one who thrusteth his hand into a sack containing many thousands of serpents and one eel. Yet, if the prophet so will it, he may draw forth the eel.'"

Time Table of All Trains Arriving at Ada, Okla.

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RY.

SOUTH.

No. 111 Lv. Daily.....11:25 A. M.
No. 113 Lv. Daily.....11:08 P. M.

NORTH.

No. 112 Ar. Daily.....4:17 P. M.
No. 114 Ar. Daily.....3:15 A. M.

TRAIN GOING EAST.

12 Lv. Daily.....2:55 P. M.
TRAIN FROM EAST.

11 Ar. Daily.....10:05 A. M.
TRAIN GOING WEST.

3 Lv. Daily.....3:30 P. M.
TRAIN FROM WEST.

4 Ar. Daily.....2:55 P. M.

FRISCO.

NORTH BOUND.

322—Muskogee Pas. Lv.....6:30 a. m.
508—Eastern Express.....10:12 a. m.
510—Meoter.....4:12 p. m.
114—Hustler.....12:40 a. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

113—Hustler.....5:26 a. m.
509—Meoter.....11:35 a. m.
507—Sherman Exp.....5:20 p. m.
521—Muskogee Pas. Ar.....9:00 p. m.

The First National Bank OF ADA

This is the time of the year when you may need a little help from your banker in the way of a loan. This bank is lending money every day to good farmer customers, both new and old, who offer satisfactory security, and it is our intention to continue to do this until crop selling time.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK ADA, OKLAHOMA

DIRECTORS

P. A. Norris, F. J. Phillips, H. T. Douglas, W. C. Duncan, M. D. Timberlake.

FURGUSON WRITES TO AGENTS AND FARMERS

Minco, Okla., March 5, 1912.

Dear Sir:

I am sending herewith a East Oklahoma agents "Object in Seed-bed Preparation," which I fully realize falls far short of covering this important question. Especially applying to all varied soils and climatic conditions throughout East Oklahoma. Though I trust some points given may suggest some better method to your mind of solving many of your problems along this line.

The purpose of grouping the agents for these field meetings is to bring together the experience of all, and so blend them in one common judgment on the particular type of soil we are operating upon, and modifying them to suit all soils and conditions so far as it is possible to do so.

After we have accomplished this much it becomes your duty as an agent to visit your demonstration farms, and not only show them, but assist them in such preparations as in your judgment suits their particular type of soil and lay of land. If necessary give them written instructions as to how to proceed when certain conditions are presented. This is exactly what I did last season on the P. A. Norris farm at Ada, and the instructions were followed out to the letter. This was a greater satisfaction in my mind, and much greater value to our department than all my service with all the agents in East Oklahoma last season. I realize there is only one Norris, yet there are many in all counties who would appreciate instructions which call for increase in yield. I tell you this to impress upon your mind the real value of even one extra good farm which shows a profit in the report. More especially would I impress upon all agents who are paid in part by corporations or business men the necessity for us to make good.

It is up to us to make an extra effort to secure this co-operation, and to fulfill the pledge on my part at the time of securing this financial aid and to protect your honest efforts in carrying this out. If kind Providence permits we are going to do it. Aren't we, boys?

For anything to read go to the Model Confectionery or Harris Hotel City Stand. 195-t

One good order will convince you. Try us. R. C. Jeter. Phone 310. 290-3t

Cold Storage and Fresh Meats at all times and FISH on Thursdays. Prompt delivery.

CITY MEAT MARKET

W. B. GAY, Prop.

Phone 39. 12th Street

WANTS

FOR SALE—Five room house on W. 15th street. Best location in town. Going at a bargain. R. S. Tobin. 293-6td

FOUND—Lady's watch. Owner can get same by describing and paying for this notice. 121 E. 16th St. 291-4t-d

Wanted—500 new customers. R. C. Jeter. Phone 310. 290-3t

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 419 W. 13th St. Mrs. Underwood. 290-d-tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front bed room for lady. 219 W. 14th st. 289-3t*

FOR RENT—Sunrise, modern 6 room cottage. U. G. Winn. 286-dtf

FOR RENT—Modern six room house, garden and stable. C. T. Barney. 279-tf

FOR RENT—Five room cottage with bath, 16th and Townsend. J. T. Higgins. 275-tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished front rooms, one block from the city hall. Phone 397. Mrs. S. T. Williams. 265-tf

FOR RENT—6 room house on East 10th street, in same block with school building. Modern conveniences. R. E. Blanks. 255-tf

FOR RENT—Four room house. Inquire at Farmers State Bank. 216-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. S. M. White, 13th and Townsend. 223-tf

A First Class SHAVE

For 10c

AT THE

EUREKA

Barber Shop

On Twelfth Street — Three Doors East of Post Office in the L. J. Little Building.

Furniture Repaired

We are prepared to repair all Furniture. Bring it to Frank Jackson or Phone 138.

PHONE 17

AND SAVE TIME AND MONEY

PEA BERRY COFFEE, 25c

10 lb. pail pure Lard 1.25	3 lb. can Kraut, 3 for 25c
10 lb. pail Crusto Lard 1.00	Smoked Herring in Bouillion per can 20c
10 lbs. Jack Frost Lard 90c	Shrimp, per can 15c
3 lb. can Apples, 3 for 25c	Mackerel nice size 2 for 15c
3 cans good Corn 25c	Mackerel 15c size 10c
8 bars Soap 25c	15c Tomatoes any brand 10c
Barrel Kraut 3 1/2c	

SOUR PICKLES, PER GAL., 35c

M. WALSH

I MEET OR BEAT ALL PRICES.

STRICTLY CASH TO ALL



Paints and Finishes for Your Home

If there is a shabby surface in your home to be painted, enameled, stained, varnished or finished in any way, we have just what you need for producing the exact finish desired in the line of

ACME QUALITY
PAINTS AND FINISHES

Let us show you colors for painting your house or barn, samples of finishes for floors, woodwork, walls, ceilings or furniture. Let us help you make shabby places look new and attractive.

COME IN and get a copy of THE ACME QUALITY PAINTING GUIDE BOOK. It tells what Acme Quality Paint, Enamel, Stain or Varnish to use, how much will be required and how it should be put on. It not only enables you to tell your painter or decorator exactly what you want, but it makes it easy for YOU to refinish the many surfaces about the home that do not require the skill of the expert—the jobs that a painter would not bother with. Ask for a copy. IT'S FREE.

RAMSEY DRUG COMPANY ADA, OKLA.

**Fat Stock Show
FT. WORTH, TEX.
MARCH 18-23**

Ask Katy Agent
about the reduced
fares on March 16
and 20,



What was the President's name 37 1-2 years ago? To each lady who answers this correctly, we will give a bottle of Gwin's Favorite Cream—to each man we will give a good 5c cigar—a Gwin & Mays Reputation. All answers must be in writing, left at our store either in person or by mail. Answers must be in by Saturday night. Gwin & Mays Drug Co.

NOTICE

We are organizing a
Pressing Club

It costs you \$1.50 per month and it entitles you to the pressing of 4 suits of clothes a month

**SWEATT & SWEATT
TAILORS**

PHONE 362

JIM HARRIS WILL RETAIN CHAIRMANSHIP

Guthrie, Okla., March 15.—After a stormy night session, in which all states made by committees and the leaders were smashed, the Republican State convention elected ten delegates-at-large to the National convention and tied them up with a hard and fast resolution for Roosevelt.

Priestley won the fight for National committeeman hands down, he receiving 314 votes as against 131 for Harris. Friends of the latter urged him to stay out of the race, but declared that he was going to put the delegates on record.

Later, however, Harris won a brilliant victory over his opponents when it was sought to put through a resolution re-organizing the state central committee, thereby eliminating State Chairman Harris. In this Harris won out by a vote of 337 to 207, many of his bitter political enemies standing behind him as at matter of expediency.

Delegates at Large.

First District—George Britt; Ed McKean of Logan county.
Second District—A. L. McDonald of Canadian; E. Herrioff of Caddo.
Third District—L. S. Skelton of Okmulgee; Gilbert Wood of Okfuskee.
Fourth District—A. E. Perry of Coal; Tom Wall of LaFlore.
Fifth District—Tom Dwyer of Grady; Ewers White of Pottawatomie

PERRY MAY CALL ANOTHER CONVENTION

Guthrie, Ok., March 15.—The Fourth District Republican convention which met in Coalgate late in January and indorsed Taft and elected two Taft delegates to the Chicago convention is to be superseded by a second convention, call for which A. E. Perry, district chairman, will shortly issue, according to a story out tonight. The other convention was the first to be held in the United States, and it was there that State Chairman Harris and Perry matched the initial fight of this campaign.

The Roosevelt people had only thirty-two votes in that convention. Perry claims that the state chairman's action in delaying the Third District convention gives the Fourth District people authority to issue another call and hold another convention. According to the program, this time Roosevelt will be indorsed, and two delegates friendly to the colonel will be sent to Chicago, contesting the two named in January.

C. W. Miller of Hugo, one of the Taft delegates named at Coalgate, marched through the hotel lobbies to

J. A. LOWELL, D. V. S.

VETERINARY SURGEON and DENTIST

Graduate of Kansas City Veterinary College. Assistant State Veterinarian and Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner of Kansas.
HAS LOCATED IN ADA
and has opened an office and hospital at 220 East Main Street. Is prepared to treat all diseases of domesticated animals. Makes a specialty of and guarantees all dental work. Calls answered night or day. Call and see me. Office phone, 426 one ring; residence phone, 426 two rings. (d-f-s-w-4-11)

night offering to wager \$5,000 to \$2,000 that Taft would be the Chicago nominee, notwithstanding the action of today's convention. W. O. Rittenhouse of Wagoner offered \$5,000 and at the same odds, that Taft would be nominated and elected.

CASH CADE WANTS THE NOMINATION FOR GOVERNOR

Guthrie, Ok., March 15.—Cash Cade, retiring national committeeman, announced tonight that he would be a candidate for governor two years hence. It is understood that he will be given support of the Roosevelt forces who were victorious in today's convention.

Healthy Mothers

Women who bear children and remain healthy are those who prepare their systems in advance of baby's coming. Unless the mother aids nature in its pre-natal work the crisis finds her system unequal to the demands made upon it, and she is often left with weakened health or chronic ailments. No remedy is so truly a help to nature as Mother's Friend, and no expectant mother should fail to use it. It relieves the pain and discomfort caused by the strain on the ligaments, makes pliant and elastic those fibres and muscles which nature is expanding, prevents numbness of limbs, and soothes the inflammation of breast glands. The system being thus prepared by Mother's Friend dispels the fear that the crisis may not be safely met. Mother's Friend assures a speedy and complete recovery for the mother, and she is left a healthy woman to enjoy the rearing of her child. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for our free book for expectant mothers which contains much valuable information, and many suggestions of a helpful nature.
Mother's Friend
BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

YOUNG DEMOCRATS ARE GETTING BUSY

The young democrats of Ada held their second meeting last evening, and showed that they are full of enthusiasm and will become a factor to be reckoned with in all future campaigns. Although the principal speaker of the evening was unavoidably kept away from the meeting, others made short talks and all showed that the fighting spirit is growing among the younger democrats. President Lieullen outlined his plan of campaign for organizing the county, and read a list of appointments of members of the Ada club who are expected to look after the organization of clubs at other points in the county. As members of the executive committee he appointed A. D. Tanner, Tom Oglesby and Jesse Warren. As a membership committee he appointed Theodore Rogers, Hugh Biles, Walter Clark, Harmon Ebey and Harry Jones.

It was decided to organize two quartets for the campaign one from among the young democrats at the normal, and the other from town boys. It is the intention to make good use of these quartets during the campaign. Prof. Fentem was asked to look after the normal and Fred Cox the other.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday evening, March 26, at which time a good program will be rendered and preparations made for a rousing time.

Listen Friends.

I don't want you to read this unless you have confidence in my word. For two years I suffered from a sore on my shin caused by an ax cut. I tried a great many remedies with no results. At last I went to Gwin & Mays, they sold me a box of "Gwin & Mays' Shin Salve," and the second 25c box cured that sore absolutely. I trust that my experience may help other sufferers.

Yours very truly,
LEWIS KEETHLEY.

It is said that the hair market will soon be glutted with the queues of 150,000,000 Chinese who are shedding this appendage as a way of showing that they are no longer under the rule of the Manchus. However, it is our opinion that the Chinks were a little too slow if they wanted a fair price for their pig tails, for rats are now worn now as extensively as they were a few years ago.

If you have a want, use our want column. Results are sure. Everyone is reading our want column. Phone us your ad today.

OPERA HOUSE TUESDAY, MAR. 19

LATIMORE-LEIGH CO.

PRESENTS

**MR.
BERT LEIGH**

IN

**HAROLD McGRATH'S
DEE-LIGHTFUL COMEDY**

**THE
MAN
ON THE
BOX**



WITH
MISS BILLY LONG

And a Selected Cast
You have read the Book--Now see the Play.

PRICES—First Row, \$1.50. Bal. 50c, 75c, \$1.00
SEATS ON SALE AT RAMSEY DRUG CO.